AN ORDINANCE 100236

APPROVING AN ADDENDUM TO THE CITY'S STATE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM FOR THE 79TH LEGISLATURE THAT WAS ADOPTED BY ORDINANCE NO. 99966 ON NOVEMBER 4, 2004.

WHEREAS, prior to the convening of each regular session of the Texas Legislature, the City of San Antonio identifies legislative priorities that it believes should be addressed by state lawmakers and in July 2004, staff from the External Relations department began working with the City Council Intergovernmental Relations Committee, City departments and agencies, the Texas Municipal League and the City's governmental affairs consultants, to develop the City's State Legislative Program ("Program") for the 79th Legislative Session; and

WHEREAS, by passage of Ordinance No. 99966 on November 4, 2004, City Council approved the Program consisting of eight (8) legislative initiatives and six (6) legislative endorsements; and

WHEREAS, since the adoption of the Program, additional endorsements have been submitted and reviewed by staff, the City's consultants and the City's Intergovernmental Relations Committee and of those endorsements six (6) are currently being recommended for inclusion in the Program; and

WHEREAS, the proposed addendum includes endorsements related to the reappointment of fire and police civil service commissioners, clarification of the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission, relocation of utilities during city construction projects, official recording of dangerous building orders, electronic filing of campaign finance reports and excepting city manager applicants from the requirements of the Texas Public Information Act; NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. An addendum to the City's State Legislative Program for the 79th Legislature, originally adopted by Ordinance No. 99966 on November 4, 2004, is hereby

authorized and approved. A copy of said addendum is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Attachment I.

SECTION 2. Staff is hereby directed to inform the Bexar County Legislative Delegation of this addendum to the Program and to undertake such steps as are reasonably necessary to support the various endorsements included in this addendum during the upcoming 79th Legislative Session.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall be effective on and after the tenth day after passage hereof.

PASSED AND APPROVED this day of January, 2005

M A Y O R EDWARD D. GARZA

ATTEST:

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

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Description: An Ordinance approving an addendum to the City's State Legislative Program for the 79th Legislature that was adopted by Ordinance No. 99966 on November 4, 2004. [Presented by Christopher J. Brady, Assistant City Manager; J. Rolando Bono, Interim City Manager]

Voter	Group	Status	Yes	No	Abstain
ROGER O. FLORES	DISTRICT 1		X		
JOEL WILLIAMS	DISTRICT 2	Not present		_	
RON H. SEGOVIA	DISTRICT 3		х		
RICHARD PEREZ	DISTRICT 4		x	_	
PATTI RADLE	DISTRICT 5		x		
ENRIQUE M. BARRERA	DISTRICT 6		x		
JULIAN CASTRO	DISTRICT 7		x		
ART A. HALL	DISTRICT 8		x		
CARROLL SCHUBERT	DISTRICT 9		х		
CHIP HAASS	DISTRICT_10		x		
MAYOR ED GARZA	MAYOR		х		